



PATENT APPLICATION
Do. No. 5827-2

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Steven M. Madey et al.

Serial No. 10/617,544

Examiner: not known

Filed: July 10, 2003

Group Art Unit: not known

For: LOAD DIVERSION METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR HEAD
PROTECTIVE DEVICES

Confirm. No.: 4300

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PETITION FOR RESTORATION OF FILING DATE
AND REQUEST FOR PETITION REFUND

1. Statement:

A filing date for the above referenced application was not given, according to the USPTO, for failure to deposit drawings with the application.

The applicant(s) respectfully submits copies of the filed drawings along with a copy of the USPTO stamped return postcard as verification the drawings were included with the filed application on July 10, 2003.

The submission of a newly executed oath or declaration as requested on the USPTO Notice of Incomplete Nonprovisional Application is unnecessary since the application was not filed with missing parts.

Applicant(s) requests the application show the original filing date of July 10, 2003 to which it is entitled.

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2. Petition fee:

37 CFR 1.17(h) \$130.00

3. Fee Payment:

- PTO Form 2038 authorizing credit card payment for the above-listed fees is enclosed.
- Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to deposit account number 13-1703.

4. Request for Refund:

- The applicant(s) requests a refund of \$130.00 be credited to Deposit Account No. 13-1703.

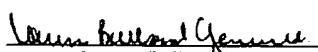
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